



**PRS: Physics Reconstruction and Selection  
HCAL/JetsMET group**

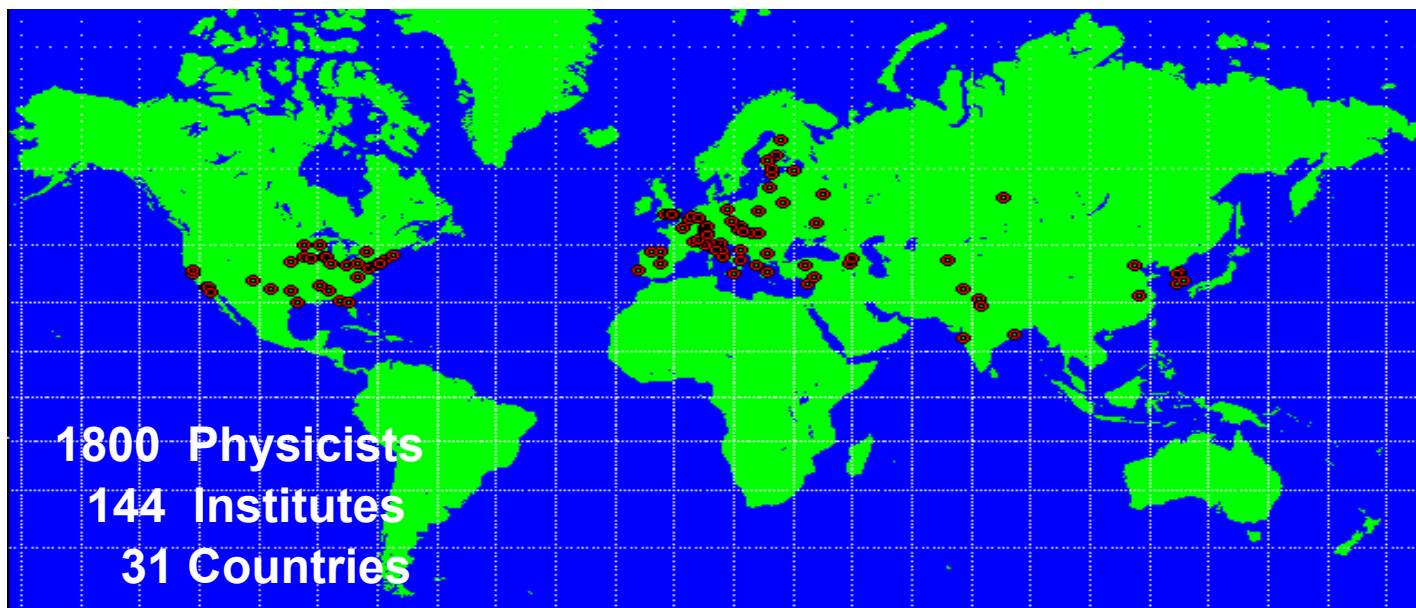
# **CMS Computing/Software**

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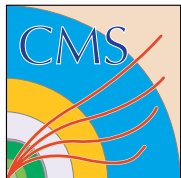


# LHC Computing Challenges

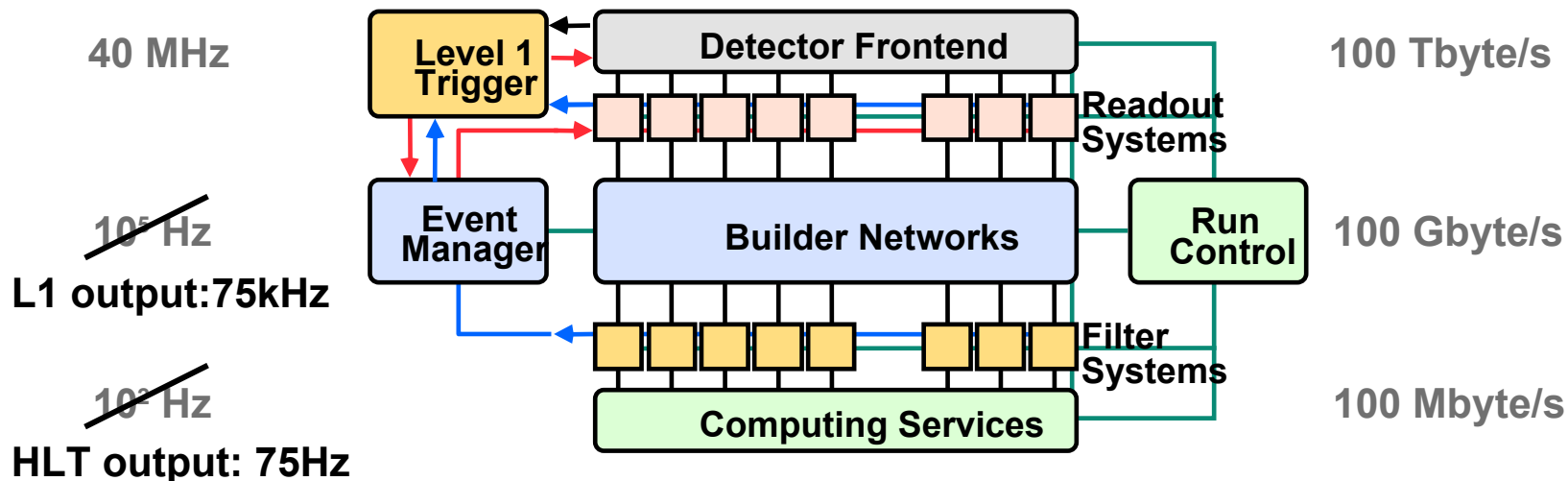
- **Geographical Dispersion:** of people and resources
- **Complexity:** the detector and the LHC environment
- **Scale:** Petabytes per year of data



**Major challenges associated with:**  
Communication and collaboration at a distance  
Network-distributed computing and data resources  
Remote software development and physics analysis  
**R&D: New Forms of Distributed Systems: Data Grids**



# CMS Trigger and Data Acquisition

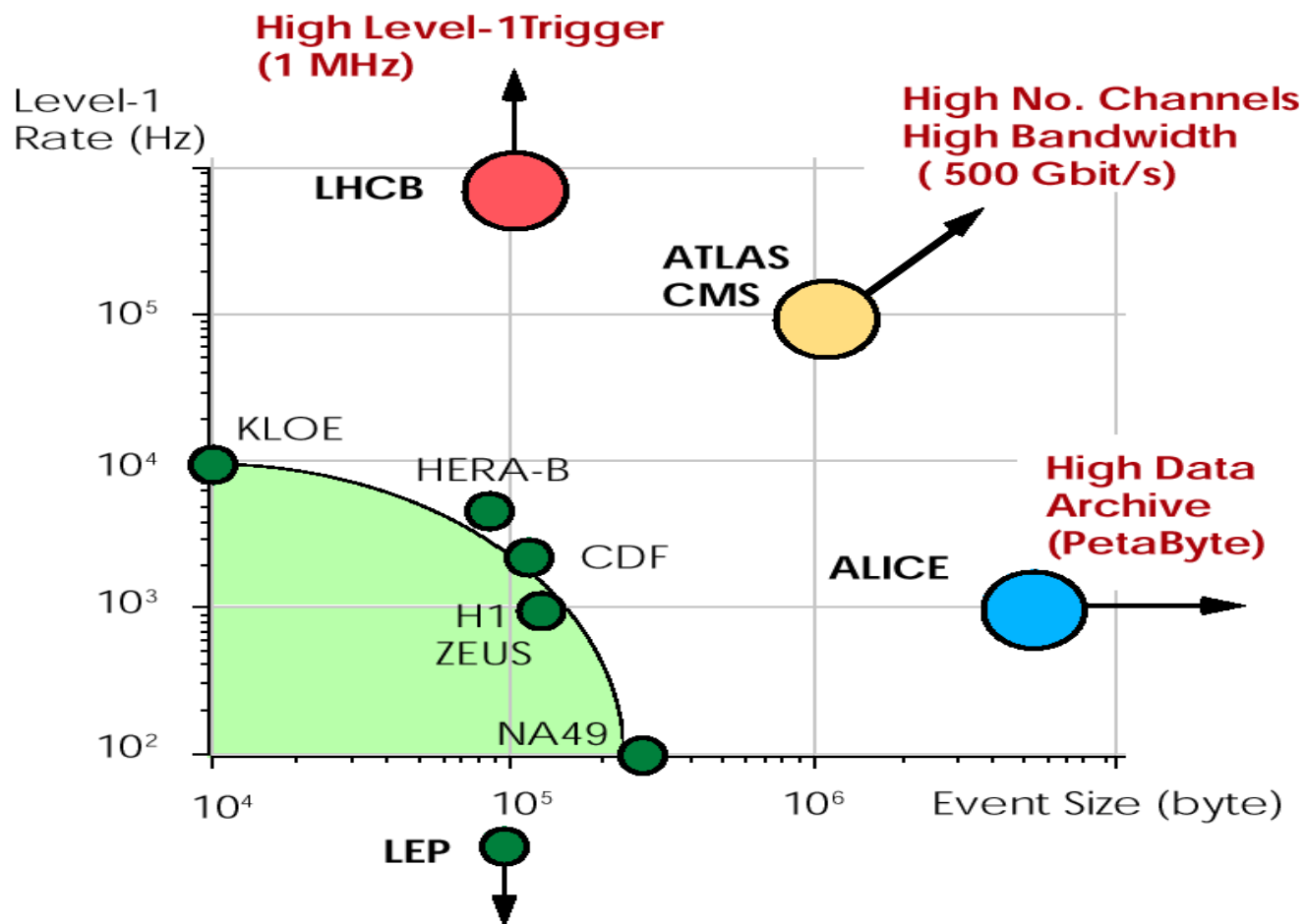


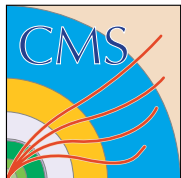
Collision rate	40 MHz
Level-1 Maximum trigger rate	100 kHz
Average event size	1 Mbyte
Event Flow Control	$\sim 10^6$ Msg/sec
No. of In-Out units (200-5000 byte/event)	1000
Readout network (512-512 switch) BW	1 Terabit/s
Event filter computing power	$\sim 200$ kSI95
Data production	$\sim 10$ Tbyte/day
No. of readout crates	250
No. of electronics boards	10000



# Data Rate and Size

Larger by ~2 Orders of Magnitude!





# Distributed Computing (CMS Analysis Model)

**“Reconstruction” (first pass) creates ESD (event summary data) from the RAW data**

- Once at CERN, synchronized with data taking

**“Re-processing” re-creates ESD data from the RAW data and from the “old” ESD**

- 3 times per year, about 3 months response time per pass

**“Selection” creates AOD (analysis object data) and TAG from the ESD data**

- Once per month per Analysis Group

**“Analysis”**

- Creates DPD (Derived Physics Data), personal dataset
- Iterate over the DPD data and over the TAG/AOD data
- Eventually access a fraction of the ESD data  
(it's also possible to permit, under control, access a fraction of the RAW data)

**“Monte Carlo Simulation” creates RAW-like data (MCRAW) (+ Pile-up simulation)**

- Same process as for real RAW data: ESD, AOD etc.!
- A total of about  $5 \times 10^8$  events per year

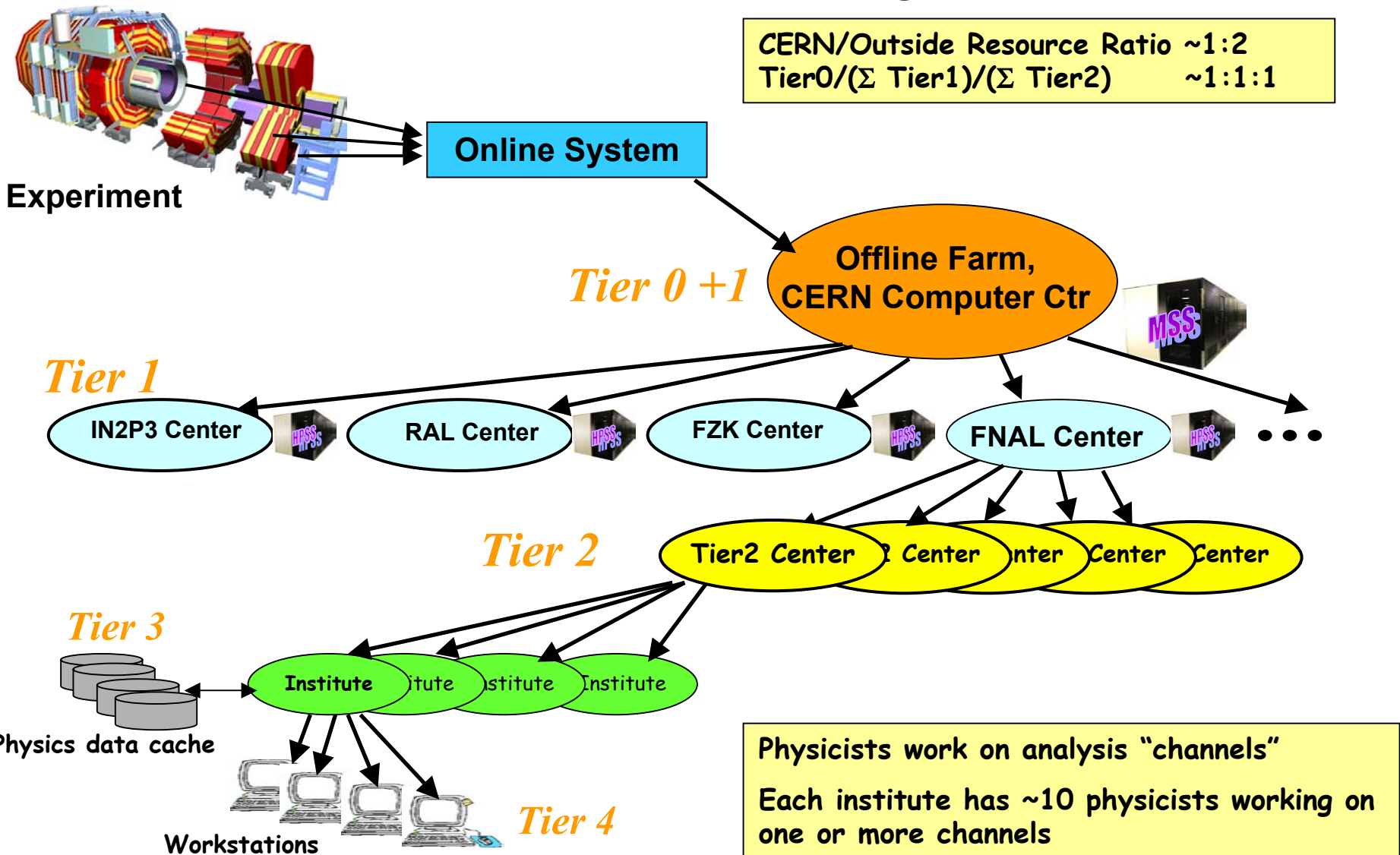
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Fully distributed  
Chaotic

Scheduled

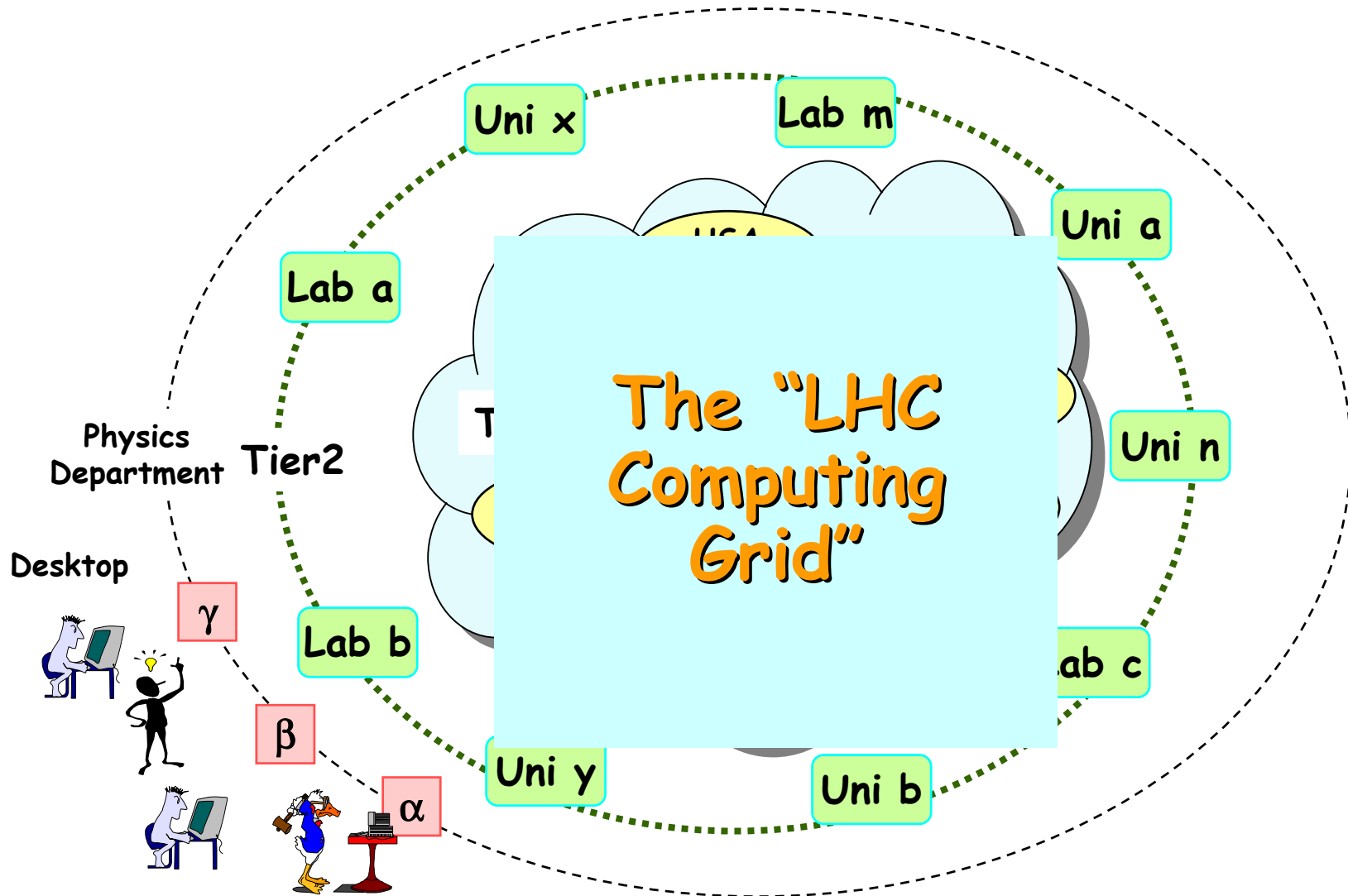


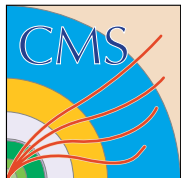
# CMS Computing Model: Data Grid Hierarchy





# LHC Distributed Computing Model





# A few of the Grid Technology Projects

## Data-intensive projects with EU funding, HEP leadership

- **DataGrid** – 21 partners, coordinated by CERN (Fabrizio Gagliardi)
- **CrossGrid** – 23 partners complementary to DataGrid (Michal Turala)
- **DataTAG** – funding for transatlantic demonstration Grids (Olivier Martin)



## European national HEP related projects

- **GridPP (UK); INFN Grid; Dutch Grid; NorduGrid; Hungarian Grid; .....**



## US HEP projects

- **GriPhyN** – NSF funding; HEP applications
- **PPDG** – Particle Physics Data Grid – DoE funding
- **iVDGL** – international Virtual Data Grid Laboratory

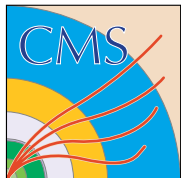


## Global Coordination

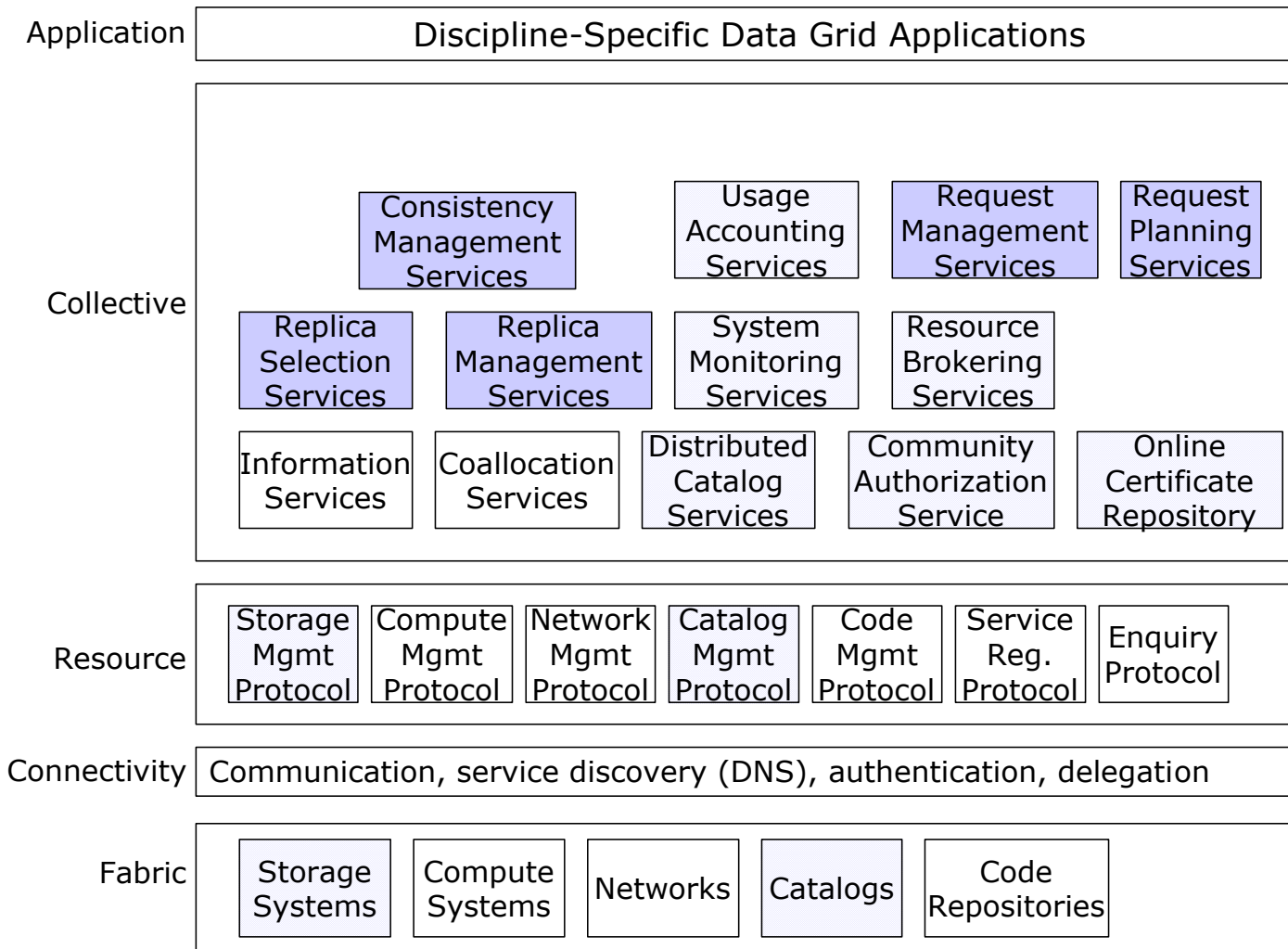
- **Global Grid Forum** – GGF Recommendations
- **InterGrid** – ad hoc HENP Grid coordination (Larry Price)







# Data Grid Reference Architecture



**'Data Grid' is used to describe system with access to large volumes of data**



# Grid Services for the User

## What does the Grid do for you?

- you submit your work
- and the Grid
  - Finds convenient places for it to be run
  - Optimises use of the widely dispersed resources
  - Organises efficient access to your data
    - Caching, migration, replication
  - Deals with authentication to the different sites that you will be using
  - Interfaces to local site resource allocation mechanisms, policies
  - Runs your jobs
  - Monitors progress
  - Recovers from problems
- .. and .. Tells you when your work is complete



# Short Term CMS/GRID Issues

## CMS input to GRID projects

- CMS note describing our initial requirements on GRID architecture ([CMS NOTE-2001/037](#))

## GDMP (Grid Data Management Pilot) as a practical GRID tool

- Built by Computer Science Students in CMS
  - Initial version, was limited to transferring Objectivity database files. More recently significantly extended GDMP capabilities by integrating two new Globus Data Grid tools (Globus Replica Catalog, GridFTP)
- Widely deployed in CMS productions.
  - CERN, INFN, FNAL, UK, UCSD, Caltech, Moscow,...

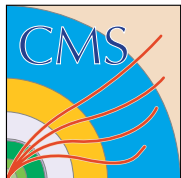
## Obtaining coherence in worldwide GRID projects

- CMS is worldwide, not American, not European, not Asian
  - We need coherent middleware, or a coherent interface layer to the various middleware



# Production Sites

	Simulation	Digitization		GDMP	Common Production tools (IMPALA)
		No PU	PU		
CERN	Fully operational			✓	✓
FNAL				✓	✓
Moscow				✓	In progress
INFN				✓	✓
Caltech				✓	✓
UCSD				✓	✓
UFL				✓	✓
Imperial College				✓	✓
Bristol				✓	✓
Wisconsin				✓	✓
IN2P3		Not Op.	✓	✓	
Helsinki		Not Op.	Not Op.		



# Prototyping and Production today

- **We need large scale computing to:**
  - **Satisfy computing requirements for DAQ TDR and Physics TDR**
  - **Test Software components under realistic conditions**
  - **Develop ways to efficiently use the computing available**
- **Target to reach 50% of complexity by 2004**
  - **T0/T1 with approx 600 “cpu boxes” at CERN**
  - **Likewise scale offsite T1 prototypes (assume 2) and offsite T2 prototypes (assume 10)**
  - **20% Data Challenge in 2004**
- **Data Challenges require worldwide resources operating cooperatively**
  - **Efficient operation of ~100's of Tiers3's in this environment is untested**



# Lesson from the Prototypes

- (Economic, large scale) Data access is the challenge

- High disk failure rates

- Mass-Storage software not yet mature

- Complex systems built from many “cheapest” components

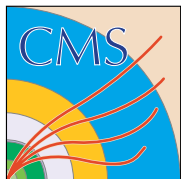
- Problems for Productions and for Analysis

- The data challenges and productions are R&D.

- We do not get things right first time

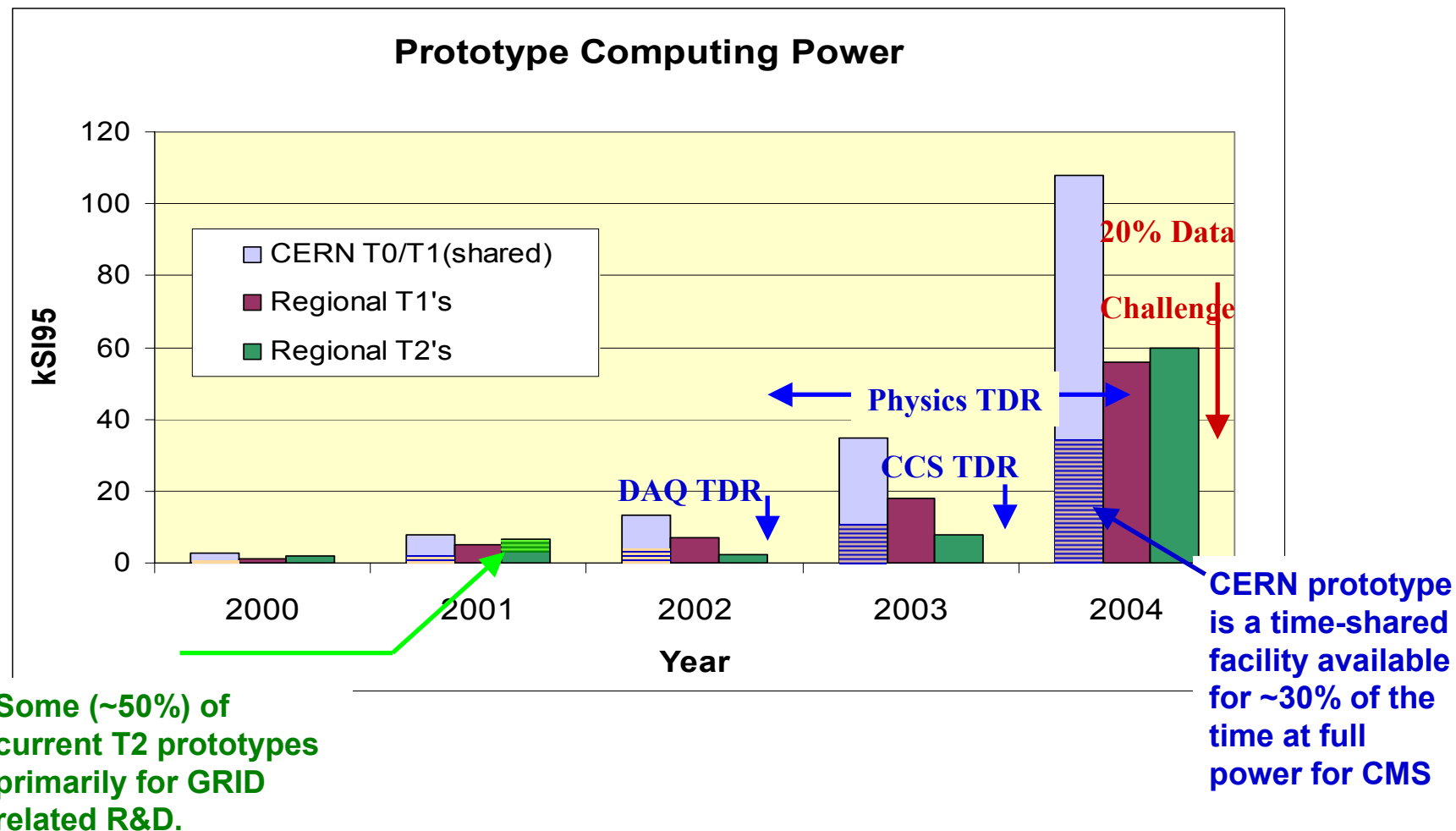
- Both CMS and the computing centers learn from these exercises

- Build and share experiences in different environments (T0-→T3)



# Common Prototypes: CMS Computing, 2002-2004

Match Computing Challenges with CMS Physics and Detector Milestones





# Software Project

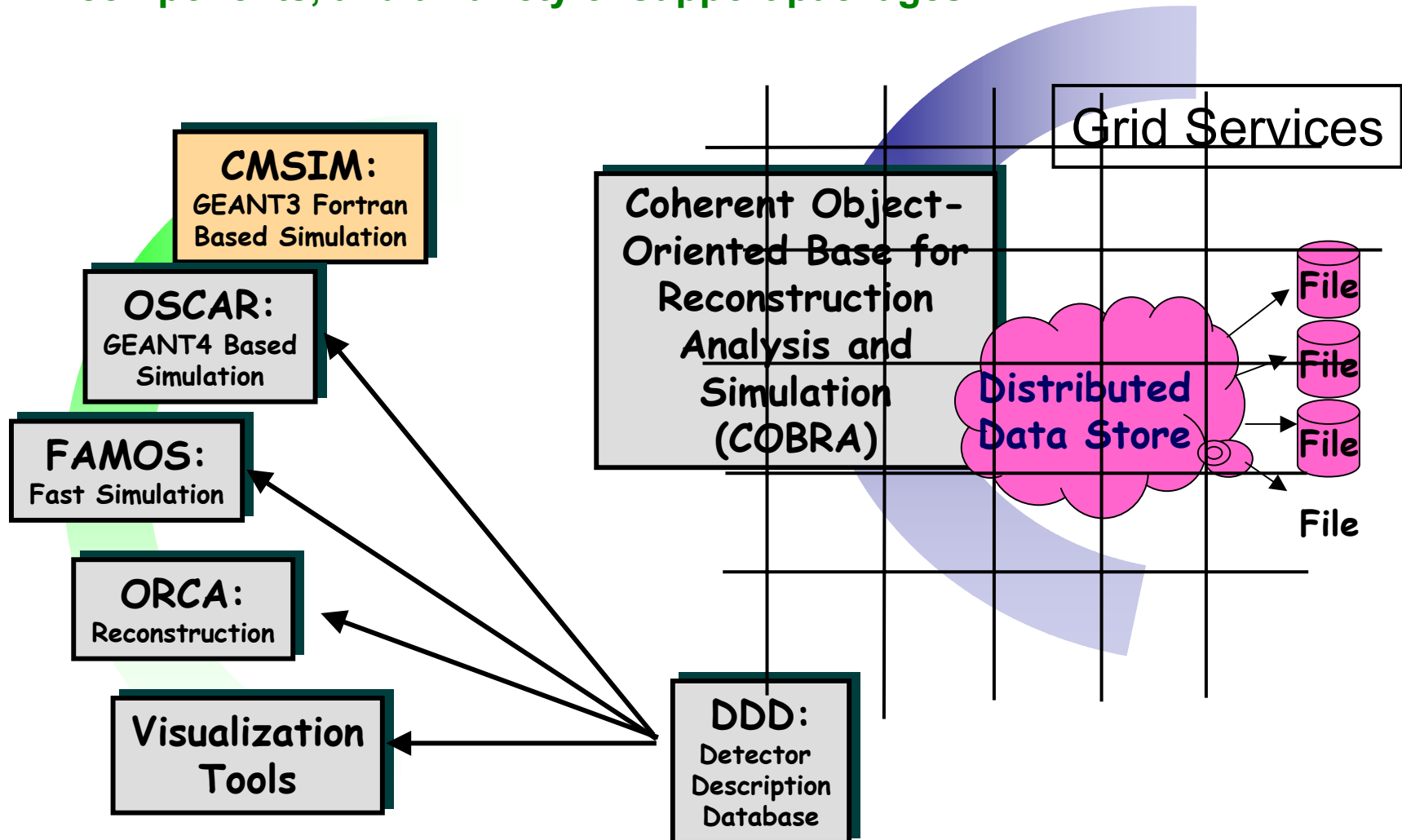
- **CMSIM**
  - The original GEANT3 Simulation of CMS.
- **COBRA (Coherent Object-oriented Base for simulation, Reconstruction and Analysis)**
- **ORCA (Object Reconstruction for CMS Analysis)**
  - The OO reconstruction program
- **OSCAR (Object oriented Simulation for CMS Analysis and Reconstruction)**
  - The GEANT4 Simulation framework for CMS
- **IGUANA (Interactive Graphical User ANALysis)**
  - Toolkits for Interactive Analysis
- **FAMOS (Fast Monte-Carlo Simulation)**
  - “Parameterized” Monte-Carlo
- **DDD (needs an Acronym!)**
  - The Detector Description Database
- **GDMP, MOP, CLARENS, BOSS,...**
  - Grid projects with strong CMS involvement/authorship
- **IMPALA**
  - Production Tools





# Software Components

CMS Software has a data store, a central framework, a number of components, and a variety of support packages.





# Objectivity

## ● Objectivity

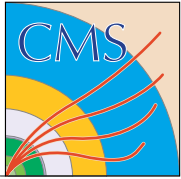
- Currently about 30TB in Objectivity DB's
- Experience with writing into DB with up to 300 CPU's in parallel
- Little experience to date with large numbers of parallel readers
- We have confidence that we *could* make an Objectivity based solution work

## ● Commercial Considerations

- Object databases have not taken off as forecast
- Objectivity is the only major vendor of an ODBMS
- Difficult to support long term in the event the company fails

## ● Observations

- (backed up by discussions with Babar, and initial CMS/Oracle studies)
  - The user code, is not the big issue; we can hide almost all of this from the users
  - However the data management is optimized for the specific implementation and this is where a changeover will be most painful



# ROOT IO + DB

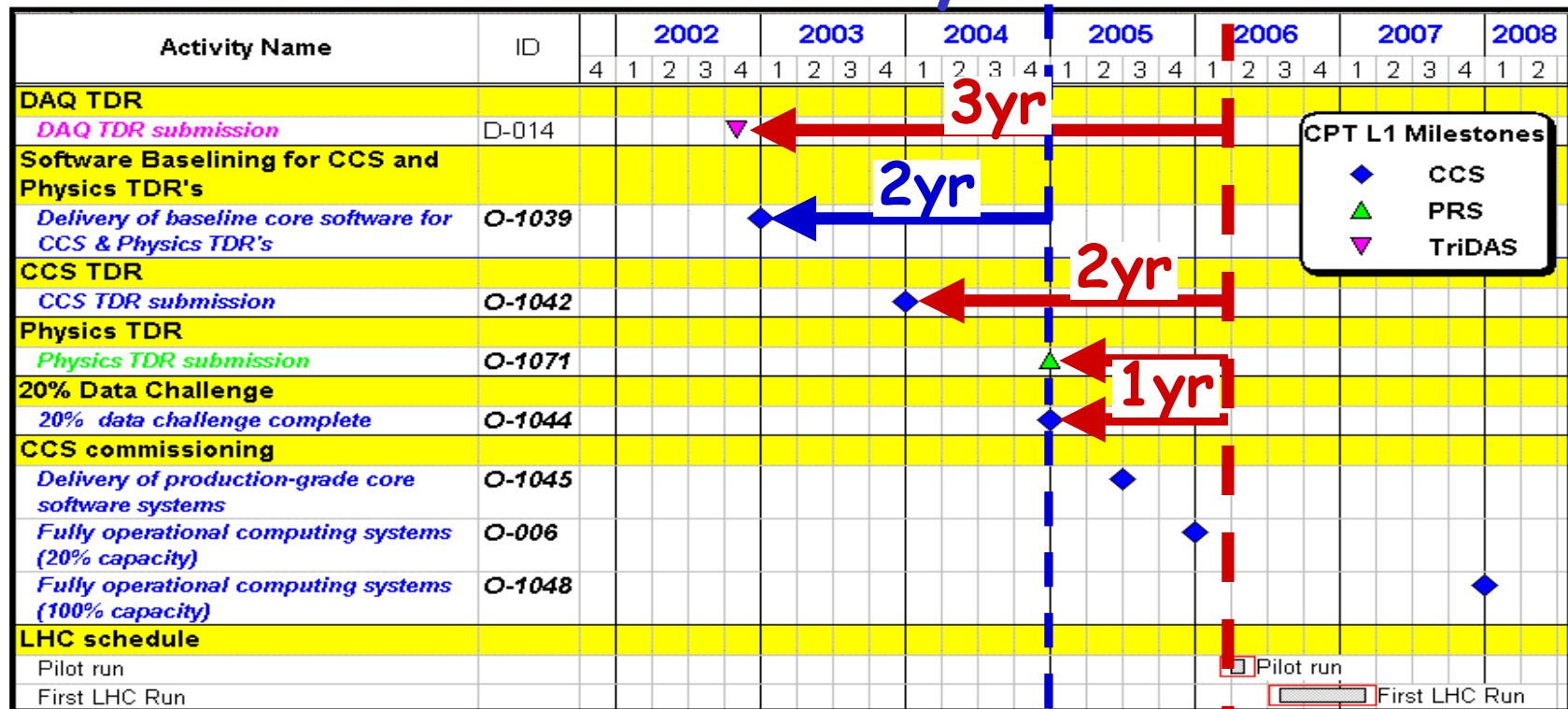
- <http://cmsdoc.cern.ch/cms/ccs/bulletin/bulletin-dec-2001.html>
- Document Objectivity experience. Develop evaluation criteria
- Concentrate current work on Hybrid scheme (ROOT+DB Layer)
  - Develop overall plan
  - Evaluate solution
  - Estimate work required
  - Identify partners
- Establish a working group together with ROOT, IT/DB, and all LHC experiments.
- Specifying a “HEPIO” format based on “ROOTIO”
  - Establish a change control mechanism
  - Allow for other products to be developed against the specification
  - (FNAL taking responsibility for this)
- *Adopt* rather than *adapt*.



# CPT Level 1 Milestones

**C**ore Software and Computing  
**P**hysics Reconstruction and Selection  
**T**riDAS (online)

## Physics TDR



**LHC beam**



# CCS Organization

## ● Management

### → Project Manager:

- Martti Pimiä (CERN) ,
- David Stickland (Princeton), from Jan 1 2002

### → Resource Manager. Ian Willers (CERN)

### → Technical Coordinator. Lucas Taylor (Northeastern)

### → CCS-IB Chair. Harvey Newman (Caltech)

## ● Level-2 tasks

### → Computing:

- Martti Pimiä (CERN)

### → General Services:

- Werner Jank (CERN)

### → Architecture, Frameworks and Toolkits:

- Vincenzo Innocente (CERN)

### → Developers and Users Environment

- Stephan Wynhoff (Princeton) (Ad interim)

### → Software Process

- Johannes-Peter Wellisch (CERN)

### → Productions and Data Management

- Tony Wildish (Princeton)

### → GRID Integration

- Claudio Grandi (INFN Bologna)

## ● LHC Computing Project

### → Project Oversight Board:

- Michel Della Negra (CERN)

### → Project Execution Board:

- Lucas Taylor (Northeastern)

### → Software and Computing Committee (SC2)

- David Stickland (Princeton)
- Paolo Capiluppi (INFN/Bologna)



# CPT Organization

- **Three CMS projects working together:**
  - CCS: Core Software and Computing
  - PRS: Physics Reconstruction and Selection
  - TriDAS(Online): Online Computing and Farm related tasks of DAQ
- **Each has a project manager in the CMS Steering Committee**
- **Regular inter-PM meetings to ensure coherence.**
- **One Joint Technical Board**
  - L1 and L2 of CCS, PRS, TriDAS(Online)
- **Cross-Project Task Forces as required**
  - **Reconstruction:**
    - Stephan Wynhoff (Princeton)
  - **Simulation:**
    - Albert de Roeck (CERN)
  - **SW Process Improvement**
    - Johannes-Peter Wellisch (CERN)